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Town Officers

Clerk

EDITH BURBANK

Treasurer

MARJORIE COUTURIER

Selectmen

WILLIAM S. ALDRICH

Term Expires 1971

RALPH DEXTER

Term Expires 1972

RALPH BLAKSLEE

Term Expires 1973

Auditor

RITA F. BLAKSLEE

Tax Collector

EDITH BURBANK

Moderator

CLYDE SWITSER

Road Agent

REGINALD STEVENS

Trustee of Trust Funds

WILLIAM BOYLE

Fire Chief

RALPH BLAKSLEE

Police Chief

BRADLEY WHITCOMB

Health Officer

ORIEL FALKENHAM

Librarian

EDITH SWITSER

Library Trustees

SUSAN BEAN

Term Expires 1971

MAY THAYER

Term Expires 1972

NILA ALDRICH

Term Expires 1973

Supervisors of Checklist

LEONARD CARBONNEAU

Term Expires 1972

W. O. EMERSON

Term Expires 1974

JOY BARTLETT

Term Expires 1976

Warrant

To the Inhabitants of Dalton, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Dalton on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon to act upon the following subjects. The polls will be open at 12 o'clock and will close at 6 o'clock in the afternoon. The business meeting will open at 8 o'clock in the evening.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen the right to issue temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.
3. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Budget for 1971 as prepared by the Selectmen and appropriate the amounts therein or to make any changes.
4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire a bookkeeper not a member of the Board of Selectmen and raise money to pay same.
5. To see if the town will vote to have the Town reappraised by outside appraisers and raise money to pay for same over a period of two years.
6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower the Planning Board of the Town of Dalton to approve or disapprove in its discretion new subdivisions and plats thereof showing streets, or the widening thereof, or parks, and upon the adoption of this article, it shall be the duty of the Town Clerk to file with the Registry of Deeds of the County of Coos a certificate or note showing that the said Planning Board has been so authorized, giving the date of authorization, as provided in Section 19, and Sections 19-29 inclusive, Chapter 36 of the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955. If this article is adopted, it shall further be the duty of the Town Clerk to issue all certificates of failure when the Planning Board shall fail to take action as provided in Chapter 36: Sections 19, 20-29 inclusive.

7. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 18th day of February 1971.

W. SCOTT ALDRICH
RALPH DEXTER
RALPH BLAKSLEE

Selectmen of Dalton, N. H.

BUDGET FOR 1971

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing
Year January 1, 1971 to December 31, 1971 Compared With
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures
of the Previous Year January 1, 1970 to December 31, 1970.

Sources of Revenue:	Estimated 1970	Actual 1970	Estimated 1971
From State:			
Interest and Dividends			
Tax	\$ 200.00	\$ 197.77	\$ 175.00
Railroad Tax	500.00	464.12	450.00
Savings Bank Tax	50.00	89.26	75.00
Class V Highway		3,280.08	
Meals & Rooms Tax	1,000.00	2,109.18	2,000.00
Reimb. a/c State and Federal forest lands			100.00
Reimb. a/c Exemp. of Growing Wood & Timber		125.10	
For Fighting Forest Fires		25.00	
Reimb. a/c Old Age As.		161.92	
From Local Sources			
Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	180.00	209.60	180.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	75.00	33.00	50.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Bldgs.		44.00	
Interest Recd. on Taxes and Deposits	200.00	303.33	250.00
Income from Trust Funds	300.00	356.16	300.00
Income of Departments:			
(a) Highway incld. rental of equipment		30.00	
(b) Outside Work		463.30	
(c) T.R.A.	2,869.89	2,467.27	
Income from Municipally Owned Utilities:			
Sewer Depts.	70.00	66.40	65.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	45.00	5,627.44	
Refund Measles Vaccine		36.00	
Refund Gen. Exp. Highway		43.94	
Refund Timber Land		6.11	

**Amount Raised by
Issue of Bonds or
Notes:**

Truck Note	\$	\$ 8,000.00	\$
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**Reimbursements a/c
6% Business Profits**

Tax:

Town Portion Only		13,469.72	10,000.00
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**Surplus Cash:
From Local Taxes
Other Than**

Property Taxes:		107,520.18	
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(a) Poll Taxes - Reg.			
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@ \$2	350.00	346.00	340.00
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(c) Yield Taxes	300.00	787.83	300.00
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Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes		\$146,137.71	\$14,285.00
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**Amt. To Be Raised
By Prop. Taxes**

\$117,562.18

TOTAL REVENUES

\$131,847.18

APPROPRIATIONS	Approp. 1970	Actual 1970	Estimated 1971
General Govt.			
Town Officers' Salaries \$	2,155.00	\$ 2,155.00	\$ 2,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,800.00	2,174.12	1,800.00
Elec. & Reg. Expenses	700.00	691.29	300.00
Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	1,500.00	2,493.16	2,000.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	900.00	668.14	900.00
Surplus Food	150.00	115.60	150.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Dept.	2,500.00	3,896.19	3,500.00
Fire Dept.	1,000.00	991.36	1,000.00

Moth Exterm. — Blister			
Rust & Care of trees	150.00		150.00
Parking Meters	500.00	516.65	500.00
Insurance	1,500.00	2,955.78	2,000.00
Planning & Zoning	100.00		100.00
Cutting Trails	25.00		25.00
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00
Health:			
Health Dept., Inc.			
Hosp. & Ambu.	1,250.00	1,364.55	1,250.00
Vital Statistics	10.00		10.00
Town Dump and			
Garbage Removal	300.00	286.00	300.00
Highways & Bridges:			
Class V. Highway		3,382.50	
Town Maint. - Summer	10,000.00	9,535.21	10,000.00
Town Maint. - Winter	6,500.00	8,698.52	7,000.00
Street Lighting	260.00	252.00	260.00
Gen. Exp. of Highway			
Dept.	3,500.00	3,448.42	3,500.00
Town Road Aid	688.55	6,147.15	683.28
Libraries:	700.00	700.00	900.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	1,000.00	2,449.18	1,000.00
Old Age Assist.	900.00	1,005.91	1,000.00
Aid to Perm. and			
Totally Disabled	600.00	87.17	200.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and			
Veterans' Assoc.	15.00	10.00	15.00
Aid to Soldiers and			
their Families		66.59	100.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playground,			
Incl. Band Concerts	150.00	19.40	150.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	1,500.00	1,576.60	1,500.00
Airports	400.00	400.00	400.00
Adv. & Reg. Assoc.	141.57	141.57	203.90

Interest:

On Temp. Loans	400.00	611.11	600.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	750.00	512.50	750.00

**Outlay for New Const.
and Perm. Improv.:**

Town Construction (Hwys. & Bridges)	350.00	199.44	350.00
Water Works Const.		681.18	
Outside Work		1,111.92	
New Truck	8,000.00	8,485.75	
New Lands & Bldgs.	2,000.00	2,000.00	
New Equipment	500.00		500.00

**Payments on Principal
of Debt:**

Deed Cards		2.10	
Long Term Notes	4,000.00	4,000.00	6,000.00
Boat Reports		3.00	
County Tax	6,600.00	7,255.40	7,500.00
School Tax	73,003.14	67,499.47	73,000.00

Total Appropriations	\$136,548.26		\$131,847.18
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Selectmen's Report

SUMMARY INVENTORY

Land - Improved and Unimproved	\$ 468,780.00
Buildings	1,238,680.00
Factory Buildings	120,700.00
Public Utilities - Electric	514,620.00
House Trailers, Mobile Homes	49,900.00
Boats and Launches (11)	950.00
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Total Valuation before Exemptions	\$2,393,630.00
Elderly Exemptions	52,545.00
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Net Valuation on which rate is computed	\$2,341,085.00

ASSESSMENTS

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 2,200.00
Town Office Expenses	1,800.00
Election and Registration	900.00
Town Hall and Buildings	1,500.00
Social Security and Retirement	900.00
Police Department	2,500.00
Fire Department	1,000.00
Blister Rust, Moth Extermination & Care of Trees	150.00
Insurance	1,500.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00
Cutting Fire Trails	50.00
Civilian Defense	50.00
Health Dept., Hospitals & Ambulance Service	1,250.00
Vital Statistics	10.00
Dump and Garbage Collection	300.00
Town Maintenance - Summer	10,000.00
Town Maintenance - Winter	6,000.00
Street Lighting	260.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	3,500.00
Town Road Aid	688.55
Libraries	700.00
Old Age Assist. and Aid to Disabled	1,500.00
Public Relief	1,000.00
Memorial Day, Veterans Assoc., Old Home Day	15.00
Parks and Playgrounds	150.00
Conservation Committee and Dry Hydrants . .	850.00

Cemeteries	1,500.00
Airports	400.00
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	141.57
New Buildings and Land	2,000.00
New Equipment	500.00
Payment on Debt	5,150.00
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Total Town Appropriations	\$ 48,565.12

Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 198.00
Railroad Tax	465.00
Savings Bank Tax	90.00
Meals and Room Tax	2,068.00
Reimb. a/c Prop. Exempted Special Session . .	13,470.00
Reimb. State and Federal Lands	100.00
Revenue from Yield Tax	758.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees . .	75.00
Dog Licenses	180.00
Motor Vehicle Permits	4,800.00
Income from Trust Funds ,	300.00
Sewer Tax	70.00
Poll Taxes	350.00
Surplus - Balance Sheet	4,800.00
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Total Revenues and Credits	\$ 27,724.00
Net Town Appropriations	\$ 20,841.12
Net School Appropriations	90,499.47
County Tax Assessment	7,255.40
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Total Town, School and County	\$ 118,595.99
Add: War Service Credits	2,200.00
Add: Overlay	940.43
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Property Taxes to be Raised	\$ 121,736.42
Gross Property Taxes	\$ 121,736.42
Less: War Service Tax Credit	2,200.00
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Net Property Taxes	\$ 119,536.42

Tax Rate Approved by Tax Commission \$5.20

Schedule of Town Property

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 16,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Library — Furniture and Equipment	200.00
Fire Department — Equipment	1,500.00
Highway Department — Equipment	35,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	600.00
Schools — Lands and Buildings	70,000.00
Equipment	5,000.00
Land and Buildings by Tax Collector's Deed	
Leslie Rodger Cottage and Lot	300.00
Lot on Fogg Hill	100.00
 TOTAL	 \$ 130,200.00

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined and verified all books and records of the Town of Dalton and find them to be correct.

RITA F. BLAKSLEE
Town Auditor

Statement of Bonded Debt

December 31, 1970

Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding Long Term Notes
Grader Notes of 1965, \$20,000.00 at 3¾%

1971	\$ 2,000.00
1972	2,000.00
1973	2,000.00
1974	2,000.00
1975	2,000.00
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Total	\$10,000.00

Truck Notes of 1968, \$6,000.00 at 5%

1971	\$ 2,000.00
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Total	\$ 2,000.00

Truck Notes of 1970, \$8,000.00 at 5%

1971	\$ 2,000.00
1972	2,000.00
1973	2,000.00
1974	2,000.00
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Total	\$ 8,000.00

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$55,999.94
Due from State of N. H., Town Road Aid	5,344.03
Unredeemed Taxes	
Levy of 1969	2,750.31
Levy of 1968	814.70
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1969	1,178.85
Levy of 1970	11,941.04
State Head Taxes - Levy of 1970	345.00
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Total Assets	\$78,373.87
Excess of liabilities over assets	12,093.38
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GRAND TOTAL	\$90,467.25
Surplus, December 31, 1969	\$ 1,543.26
Net Debt, December 31, 1970	12,093.38
Increase of Debt	10,550.12

Liabilities

Due to State, Head Taxes	\$ 345.00
Due to State, Yield Tax	122.26
Due to School District	70,000.00
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Truck Note 1968	2,000.00
Grader Note 1965	10,000.00
Truck Note 1970	8,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$90,467.25
GRAND TOTAL	\$90,467.25

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES — TOWN OF DALTON

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1970

Appropriations	Approp.	Receipts	Available	Expended	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,155.00	\$	\$ 2,155.00	\$ 2,155.00	\$	
Town Officers' Expenses	1,800.00		1,800.00	2,174.12		374.12
Election and Registration	700.00		700.00	691.29	8.71	
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	1,500.00	44.00	1,544.00	2,493.16		949.16
Social Security	900.00		900.00	872.24	27.76	
Police Department	2,500.00		2,500.00	3,896.19		1,396.19
Cutting Fire Trails	25.00		25.00		25.00	
Fire Department	1,000.00	25.00	1,025.00	991.36	33.64	
Blister Rust & Care of Trees	150.00		150.00		150.00	
Insurance	1,500.00		1,500.00	2,955.78		1,455.78
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00		50.00	
Health Dept., Inc. Hospitals	1,250.00	36.00	1,286.00	1,364.55		78.55
Vital Statistics	10.00		10.00		10.00	
Town Dump	300.00		300.00	286.00	14.00	
Dry Hydrants	500.00		500.00	516.65		16.65
Class V Highways		3,280.08	3,280.08	3,382.50		102.42
Town Maintenance — Summer	10,000.00	463.30	10,463.30	9,535.21		
Town Maintenance — Winter	6,500.00	30.00	6,530.00	8,698.52	928.09	2,168.52
Town Road Aid	688.55		688.55	6,147.15		5,458.60

General Expense of Highways.....	3,500.00	50.05	3,550.05	3,448.42	101.63
New Equipment	500.00		500.00		500.00
Street Lighting	260.00		260.00	252.00	8.00
Memorial Day	15.00		15.00	10.00	5.00
Advertising & Regional Assoc.....	541.57		541.57	541.57	
Libraries.....	700.00		700.00	700.00	
Surplus Food	150.00		150.00	115.60	34.40
Town Poor	1,000.00		1,000.00	2,449.18	1,449.18
Aid To Soldiers				66.59	66.59
Old Age Assistance.....	900.00	161.92	1,061.92	1,005.91	56.01
Aid to Disabled	600.00		600.00	87.17	512.83
Parks and Playgrounds	150.00		150.00	19.40	130.60
Cemeteries	1,500.00	476.16	1,976.16	1,576.60	399.56
Planning and Zoning	100.00		100.00		100.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	400.00		400.00	611.11	211.11
Interest on long term notes	750.00		750.00	512.50	237.50
Payment on long term notes	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00	
County Tax	6,600.00		6,600.00	7,255.40	655.40
Totals	\$53,195.12	\$ 4,566.51	\$57,761.63	\$68,811.17	\$ 3,332.73
					\$14,382.27
					3,332.73
Overdraft					\$11,049.54

Town Clerk's Report

Statement of Town Clerk's Account
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1970

Debits

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:	
1969 Permits Issued	\$ 54.55
1970 Permits Issued	5,572.89
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	\$ 5,627.44
Dog Licenses Issued:	
1969 Licenses	\$ 4.00
1970 Licenses	205.00
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	\$ 209.00
Less 97 Fees @ 20c	19.40
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	\$ 189.60
Penalties Collected	20.00
Filing Fees	8.00
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	\$ 5,845.04

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer	
Motor Vehicle Permits	\$ 5,627.44
Dog Licenses and Penalties . . .	209.60
Filing Fees	8.00
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	\$ 5,845.04

Tax Collector's Report

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Property, Poll, Sewer and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1970

Debits

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$119,563.02	
Poll Taxes	444.00	
Sewer Taxes	76.00	
Yield Taxes	910.09	
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Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	38.48	
Poll Taxes	6.00	
Poll Tax penalties	2.20	
Interest	2.26	

TOTAL DEBITS	<hr/>	\$121,042.05
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Credits

Remittances:

Property Taxes	\$107,520.18	
Poll Taxes	346.00	
Poll Tax Penalties	2.20	
Sewer Taxes	66.40	
Yield Taxes	787.83	
Interest	2.26	

Uncollected Taxes per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	11,941.04	
Poll Taxes	98.00	
Sewer Taxes	9.60	
Yield Taxes	122.26	
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Abatelements:

Property Taxes	140.48
Poll Taxes	6.00
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	\$121,042.25
Excess Credit20
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Total Credits	\$121,042.05

UNCOLLECTED POLL AND PROPERTY TAXES

January 1, 1971

Bailey, Mary	\$2.00	
Bean, Allen	2.00	\$ 236.56
Bean, Susan	2.00	
Bedell, Robert and Paul		114.40
Begin, Donald	2.00	
Begin, Joseph	2.00	
Begin, Shirley	2.00	
Bennett, Frank		20.80
Bentley, Roy		388.44
Bigelow, Evelyn	2.00	
Boston & Maine Corporation		62.40
Boswell, Lawrence		156.00
Bouchard, Richard		124.80
Brooks, Barbara		222.56
Burgess, Verna		145.60
Coles, Charles	2.00	166.40
Coles, Arietta	2.00	
Cox, Francis Jr.		962.00
Crum, Edwin		336.96
Crum, Rita	2.00	
Davis, Howard	2.00	
DePina, Bernard	2.00	484.64
DePina, Emily	2.00	
Desrochers, Keith		373.36
Dufour, Mary	2.00	
Dupont, Mildred		71.56
Fawcett, James		725.40
Fenoff, Nelson Sr.		57.20
Gelinas, Archie		260.00
Gooden, Mildred	2.00	275.60
Grimard, Roger	2.00	
Grimard, Gladys	2.00	

Jock, Leon		57.20
Labbe, Armand	2.00	
Labbe, Lorette	2.00	
Lennon, Frank	2.00	270.40
Lennon, Patricia	2.00	
Lewis, Clyde A.		186.68
Magoon, Harry		63.44
Mason, Frederick	2.00	
Mason, Willie		234.00
McCoy, Elizabeth		57.20
Morancie, Albert		234.00
Morancie, Pearl	2.00	
Peterson, John		78.00
Pilotte, Adelard		560.56
Pilotte, Elizabeth	2.00	
Pilotte, Frederick		297.96
Pilotte, Winifred	2.00	
Pilotte, Betty	2.00	
Porfido, Frank		15.60
Rexford & Batchelder		67.60
Rexford, Rodney	2.00	528.84
Rexford, Nancy	2.00	36.40
Rodger, Eric	2.00	
Rodger, Ralph		67.60
Rodger, Mildred	2.00	
Sargent, Gordon		17.60
Sargent, Lucretia	2.00	
Schoner, Kenneth		208.00
Simonds, Bradford Jr.		42.11
Simonds, Bradford Sr., Heirs		36.40
Smith, Howard		152.80
Smith, Lillian	2.00	
Stillings, Alfred	2.00	156.00
Stillings, Agnes	2.00	
Stillings, Rodney	2.00	
Sweeney, Dean	2.00	317.20
Sweeney, Sharon	2.00	
Swister, Wayne	2.00	
Towle, Emmett	2.00	306.80
Towle, Gail	2.00	
Walters, Earl		57.20
Walters, Glenna	2.00	
Wells, Alice	2.00	
Whitcomb, Amos		171.60
Whittum, Armistice		176.20

Wright, Patricia	2.00	
Youngs, William D.		130.00
Paid Since Settlement		\$ 2,151.03
Interest		14.72
Poll Taxes		8.00
Penalties80

UNCOLLECTED SEWER TAXES FOR 1970

Coles, Charles	\$	4.80
Magoon, Harry		4.80

UNCOLLECTED YIELD TAXES FOR 1970

Lane, Delbert	\$	100.06
Paid Since Settlement		22.20

UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAXES FOR 1969

Coles, Charles	\$	21.43
Corey, Arthur		109.00
Desrochers, Keith		220.16
Pilotte, Frederick		147.72
Rexford, Rodney		680.54

UNCOLLECTED YIELD TAX FOR 1969

Desrochers, Keith	\$	95.60
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT

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State Tax Levy of 1970

Debits

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$ 1,395.00	
Added Taxes	15.00	
Total Commitment		\$ 1,410.00
Penalties Collected		7.50
TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 1,417.50

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$ 1,055.00	
Penalties	7.50	
		\$ 1,062.50
Abatements		10.00
Uncollected Head Taxes		345.00
TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 1,417.50

UNCOLLECTED HEAD TAXES

January 1, 1971

Bailey, Edward Sr.	Davis, Howard
Bailey, Mary	DePina, Bernard
Bean, Allan	DePina, Emily
Bean, Susan	Desrochers, Keith
Begin, Donald	Driscoll, Edward
Begin, Joseph	Dufour, Frances
Begin, Shirley	Dufour, Mary
Bigelow, Robert	Gooden, Mildred
Bigelow, Evelyn	Grimard, Roger
Coles, Charles	Grimard, Gladys
Coles, Arietta	Hicks, Earl
Crum, Edwin	Labbe, Armand
Crum, Rita	Labbe, Lorette

Lennon, Frank
 Lennon, Patricia
 Mason, Frederick
 Morancie, Pearl
 Morancie, Albert
 Pilotte, Adelard
 Pilotte, Elizabeth
 Pilotte, Frederick
 Pilotte, Winifred
 Pilotte, Lemuel
 Pilotte, Betty
 Pinette, Virgil
 Rexford, Rodney
 Rexford, Nancy
 Rodger, Eric
 Rodger, Mildred
 Sargent, Gordon
 Sargent, Lucretia
 Simonds, Effie

Smith, Howard
 Smith, Lillian
 Stillings, Alfred
 Stillings, Agnes
 Stillings, Rodney
 Sweeney, Dean
 Sweeney, Sharon
 Switser, Wayne
 Towle, Emmett
 Towle, Gail
 Walter, Merl
 Walter, Glenna
 Walter, Hollis
 Wells, Alice
 Whittum, Armistice
 Whittum, Helen
 Wright, Glenn, Jr.
 Wright, Patricia

Paid Since Settlement
 Penalties

\$30.00
 3.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

As of January 1, 1970

	Debits		
	1969	1968	1967
Tax Sales on Account of Levies:			
Taxes Sold to Town			
During Fiscal Year			
of 1970	\$ 5,351.58	\$	\$
Balance of Unredeemed			
Taxes, Jan. 1, 1970		1,293.70	513.09
Interest Collected			
After Sale	35.59	92.32	78.29
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 5,387.17	\$ 1,386.02	\$ 591.38

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer			
During Year	\$ 2,636.86	\$ 571.21	\$ 591.38
Unredeemed Taxes at			
Close of year	2,750.31	814.70	
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 5,387.17	\$ 1,386.02	

**UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES ON ACCOUNT OF
LEVIES OF:**

	1969	1968
Bouchard, Richard	\$ 449.42	\$
Burgess, Verna	124.94	
Crum, Edwin	287.85	249.68
Ingerson, Theodore	104.74	153.86
Magoon, Harry	59.66	47.45
Mason, Willie	202.58	
Morancie, Albert	199.44	97.08
Pilotte, Adelard	344.37	
Schoner, Kenneth	154.24	163.41
Stillings, Alfred	135.26	
Sweeney, Deah	296.83	
Wells, Perley	57.00	
Whitcomb, Amos	148.73	
Wright, Glenn, Jr.	62.43	
Youngs, William D.	112.82	100.99
PAID SINCE SETTLEMENT	10.00	2.23

I hereby certify that the lists showing the names and amounts due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1970 are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDITH L. BURBANK
Tax Collector

Treasurer's Report

Receipts for 1970

From Selectmen:

Outside Work	\$ 463.30
Sale of Town Property	1,198.41
Refund from Timberland	6.11
Junk Licenses	25.00
Refund General Expense — Highways	43.94
Hall Rent	44.00
Repayment — Measles Vaccine	36.00
Use of Equipment	30.00
Cemetery Fund	476.16
Whitefield Bank, Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Whitefield Bank, Truck Bond	8,000.00
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	\$40,322.92

From State:

Refund Bond & Debt Retirement tax	\$ 125.10
Class V Highways	3,280.08
Savings Bank tax	89.26
Railroad tax	464.12
Rooms and Meals tax	2,109.18
Interest and Dividends tax	197.77
Profits tax	13,469.72
State share forest fires	25.00
Refund Old Age Assistance	161.92
Town Road Aid — 1969	2,467.27
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	\$ 22,389.42

From Town Clerk:

Auto Tax	\$ 5,627.44
Filing Fees	8.00
Dog Tax	209.60
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	\$ 5,845.04

From Tax Collector:

Poll Tax 1970	\$ 346.00
Head Tax 1970	1,055.00
Yield Tax 1970	787.83

Property Tax 1970	107,520.18
Sewer Tax 1970	66.40
Poll Tax Penalties 1970	2.20
Head Tax Penalties 1970	7.50
Interest 1970	2.26
Poll Tax 1969	96.00
Property Tax 1969	10,950.41
Poll Tax Penalties 1969	9.60
Interest 1969	301.07
Head Tax 1969	300.00
Head Tax Penalties 1969	30.00
Tax Sales Redeemed 1967	513.09
Property Tax 1968	318.27
Yield Tax 1969	655.02
Interest and Costs 1967	78.29
Sewer Tax 1969	11.60
Interest 1968	30.54
Tax Sales Redeemed 1968	479.00
Interest and Costs 1969	35.59
Interests and Costs 1968	92.32
Tax Sales Redeemed 1969	2,601.27
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	\$126,289.44
Total Receipts from all sources	\$194,846.82
Cash on hand January 1, 1970	46,507.53
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GRAND TOTAL	\$241,354.35
Total Payments	\$185,354.41
Cash on hand December 31, 1970	55,999.94
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GRAND TOTAL	\$241,354.35

Summary of Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes — 1970	\$107,520.18
Poll Taxes — 1970	346.00
Yield Taxes — 1970	787.83
State Head Taxes — 1970	1,055.00
Property and Yield Taxes — Previous Years	11,923.70
Poll Taxes — Previous Years	96.00
State Head Taxes — Previous Years	300.00
Interest Received on Taxes.	540.07
Penalties on State Head Taxes	37.50
Tax Sales Redeemed	3,593.36
Poll Tax Penalties	11.80

From State:

Town Road Aid	2,467.27
Class V Highway	3,280.08
Interest and dividends tax	197.77
Railroad Tax	464.12
Savings Bank Tax	89.26
Reimb. growing wood and timber	125.10
Fighting Forest Fires.	25.00
Reimb. Old Age Assistance	161.92
Meals and Room tax	2,109.18
Reimb. Business Profits Tax	13,469.72
Dog Licenses	209.60
Business Licenses, permits & filing fees.	33.00
Rent of town property	74.00
Income from Trust Funds	356.16
Outside Work	1,111.92
Sewer Tax	78.00
Motor Vehicle Permits	5,627.44

Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Long Term Notes	8,000.00
Refunds	86.05
Sale of Town Property	86.49
Cemetery Fund	120.00
Outside Work 1969	463.30

Total Receipts	\$194,846.82
Cash on hand January 1, 1970	46,507.53
Grand Total	\$241,354.35

Summary of Payments

Town Officers' Salaries	S 2,155.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,174.12
Election and Registration	691.29
Town Hall and Other Buildings	2,493.16
Surplus Food	115.60
Police Department	3,896.19
Fire Department, including forest fires	991.36
Dry Hydrants	516.65
Insurance	2,955.78
Conservation Committee	199.44
Bounties50
Health Department, including hospitals	1,364.55
Town Dump	286.00
Town Road Aid	6,147.15
Town Maintenance — Summer	9,535.21
Town Maintenance — Winter	8,698.52
Street Lighting	252.00
General Expense of Highway Department	3,448.42
Libraries.	700.00
Old Age Assistance	1,005.91
Town Poor	2,449.18
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	87.17
Memorial Day, Veterans Assoc., Old Home Day	10.00
Aid to Soldiers and Families	66.59
Parks and Playgrounds	19.40
Municipal Water — Springs	681.18
Cemeteries	1,576.60
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	541.57
Taxes bought by Town	5,351.58
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	44.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	668.14
Interest on Temporary Loans	611.11
Interest on long term notes	512.50
Class V Highways	3,382.50
Deed Cards	2.10
Outside Work	1,111.92
New Land	2,000.00
New Equipment	8,485.75
Payments on Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Payments on Long Term Notes	4,000.00
State Head Taxes	1,236.03

Yield Tax to State	132.37
County Tax	7,255.40
Boat Reports	3.00

School District	67,499.47
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Total Payments	<u>\$185,354.41</u>
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Cash on hand December 31, 1970	55,999.94
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GRAND TOTAL	<u>\$241,354.35</u>
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Detailed Statement of Payments

Town Officers' Salaries

Wm. Scott Aldrich, Selectman	\$ 400.00
Ralph Dexter, Selectman	400.00
Ralph Blakslee, Selectman	400.00
Edith Burbank, Town Clerk	200.00
Edith Burbank, Tax Collector	525.00
Marjorie Couturier, Treasurer	200.00
Rita Blakslee, Auditor	30.00
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	\$ 2,155.00

Town Officers' Expenses

Warren Bartlett, Transfer Cards	\$ 33.00
N. H. Municipal Association, dues	50.00
Edith Switzer, work on town reports	30.00
Ralph Dexter, bookkeeping	275.00
Ralph Dexter, stamps	15.00
Wheeler & Clark, dog tax book	16.95
Bettina Adams, dues from town clerk	6.00
New England Telephone	15.00
Ralph Blakslee, stamps	12.00
Edith Burbank, expenses	108.58
State of New Hampshire, supplement	5.25
Coos County Democrat, town reports	381.60
Whitefield Post Office, envelopes	36.45
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	44.75
Town Road Aid expenses	12.00
Edith Burbank, expenses	391.94
Dorothy Doyle, dues tax collector	5.00
Homestead Press, town clerk's supplies	43.37
Edith Burbank, expenses and mileage	295.27
R. H. Marshall, running town line	50.00
Ralph Blakslee, tax meeting	4.00
Wm. Scott Aldrich, tax meeting	4.00
W. Scott Aldrich, expenses	21.60
Ralph Dexter, tax meeting	4.00
Hinkley and Donovan, legal expenses	307.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	5.00
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	\$ 2,172.76
Bookkeeping Error	1.36
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	\$ 2,174.12

Election and Registration

Coos County Democrat, Superv. notice & ballots	\$ 28.65
North Country Publishers, notices	30.80
Courier Printing Company, notices	63.84
Nellie Landry, ballot clerk	38.00
Ruth Blanchette, ballot clerk	38.00
Betty McVetty, ballot clerk	24.00
Edith Switser, ballot clerk	38.00
Ralph Blakslee, ballot clerk	14.00
Clyde Switser, moderator	52.00
Leonard Carbonneau, supervisor	84.00
W. O. Emerson, supervisor	84.00
Joy Bartlett, supervisor	56.00
Ronald White, police	14.00
Oriel Falkenham, police.	28.00
Carlyle McCulloch, police	28.00
Charlie Howe, police	14.00
Ladies' Aid, meals	56.00
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	\$ 691.29

Town Hall and Other Buildings

Reginald Stevens, labor	\$ 35.88
Reginald Rodgers, labor	48.00
Wallace Flanders, cleaning furnace	23.50
Public Service Company	175.15
New England Telephone	165.00
Ralph Dexter, work on furnace	62.75
Cray Oil Company, fuel oil	1,435.04
Astle Company, supplies	5.20
Russell Plumbing and Heating	86.95
Whitefield Hardware, roofing supplies	17.07
Wayne Switser, labor	14.40
Leslie Rodger, labor	39.00
Colby Lumber Co.	2.70
Ralph Blakslee, labor	22.60
Wm. S. Aldrich, labor	76.00
Moore's General Store	3.91
Morris Building Supplies	31.16
Grossman Building Supplies	232.85
Clyde Switser, labor	16.00
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	\$ 2,493.16

Police Department

Carlyle McCulloch, time and mileage	\$ 523.13
Bradley Whitcomb, time and mileage	\$ 2,407.30
J. A. Ferguson, M. D.	7.00
South Shore Police Supply Cp.	21.75
General Electric Co., police radio	757.00
Treasurer, State of N. H., radio repairs	10.60
R. M. Quay, M. D.	15.00
Evans Radio, Inc., radio repairs	11.70
Albert Morancie, time and mileage	120.61
Allan Bean	22.10
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	\$ 3,896.19

Fire Department

Whitefield Fire Department	\$ 80.00
Flanders' Garage	77.86
Robert Bigelow	14.40
Whitefield Fire Dept., fire truck	250.00
Blanchard Assoc., equipment	244.65
C. H. Goss, Co.80
Carl McCulloch	4.00
Ralph Blakslee, Fire Chief	50.00
Grimards' Garage, repairs on truck	45.35
Charlie's Service Station, fan belt	2.99
Moore's General Store	5.75
Whitefield Hardware	57.95
Cray Oil	157.61
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	\$ 991.36

Special Fund for Dry Hydrants

Grafton Soil Conservation, two hydrants	\$ 220.00
Grafton Soil Conservation, pipe	150.00
Wm. S. Aldrich, labor	41.40
Reginald Stevens, labor	47.25
Reginald Rodger, labor	42.00
Leslie Rodger, labor	16.00
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	\$ 516.65

Insurance

Concord General Mutual, insurance on truck	\$ 330.41
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Concord General Mutual, equipment	872.00
Concord General Mutual, liability on building	128.00
Burns Insurance Agency, Fire Ins., buildings	149.60
Burns Insurance Agency, liability on firemen	121.50
Marshall Insurance Agency, workmens' comp.	\$ 629.27
Firemen's Fund Insurance, workmens' comp.	420.00
Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., Officers bonds	305.00
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	\$ 2,955.78

Conservation Committee

Grafton Soil Conservation, hydrant, kit & pipe	\$ 130.00
George Osgood, backhoe digging test holes	20.00
Colby Lumber Co., lumber for tables	49.44
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	\$ 199.44

Bounties

Edith Burbank	\$.50
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Health Department

White Mountain Community Services	\$ 512.00
Morrison Hospital	100.00
Weeks Memorial Hospital	100.00
Town of Whitefield, ambulance service	500.00
Leslie Rodger, medicine	9.05
Weeks Memorial Hospital, Leslie Rodger	67.50
J. A. Ferguson, M. D., Thomas McVetty	5.00
Phillips Roxane Lab., students measles vaccine	71.00
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	\$ 1,364.55

Town Maintenance — Summer

Reginald Stevens, labor	\$ 1,942.75
Reginald Rodger, labor	1,693.00
Leslie Rodger, labor	1,694.00
Thomas McVetty, labor	171.30
Bradley Sargent, labor	171.30
Wm. S. Aldrich, labor	52.00
Gordon Sargent, labor	57.60
Roscoe Stevens, Jr., labor	239.40
Charles Blakslee, backhoe	301.00
Town of Whitefield, cold patch	492.00

Charlie Whittier, chloride	774.00
Adelard Pilotte, dozer	284.60
Ralph Blakslee, labor	48.00
Lawrence Ramsdell, gravel	33.00
Tetreault Salvage, culvert	208.73
Thomas Landry, mowing roadside	\$ 121.00
Vernard Landry, dozer	130.00
Armistice Whittum, gravel	71.00
Cray Oil Co., gas and oil	450.47
Whitefield Hardware, supplies	6.00
Rodney Rexford, loader	54.00
Wendell Rexford, backhoe	47.40
Bancroft & Martin, culverts	328.46
John Pilotte, labor and saw	64.20
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	\$ 9,535.21

Town Maintenance — Winter

Interstate Equipment, plow parts	\$ 727.10
International Salt Co.	879.55
R. C. Hazelton, Repairs	256.97
Cray Oil Co.	780.00
Dionne's Welding, Snow Plow	119.68
C. H. Goss, tires	137.46
Reginald Stevens, labor	2,228.61
Reginald Rodger, labor	1,813.30
Leslie Rodger, labor	669.40
Ralph Rodger, labor	224.25
Virgil Pinette, labor	750.90
Ralph Blakslee, labor and equipment	33.40
Charles Blakslee, equipment	30.00
Thomas McVetty, labor	36.00
Wm. Scott Aldrich, labor	11.90
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	\$ 8,698.52

Outside Work

Bancroft & Martin, culverts JBD Development	\$ 821.47
New England Metal Culverts, Scott Aldrich	290.45
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	\$ 1,111.92

General Expense of Highways

Reginald Stevens, mileage	\$ 243.30
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Leslie Rodger, labor	15.00
Virgil Pinette, labor	8.50
Reginald Rodger, labor	20.00
Sanel Auto Parts	391.33
Whitefield Hardware	8.63
Flanders Garage	12.76
Grimard's Garage	\$ 31.00
Ken's Gulf Station	11.00
Maurice Batchelder	42.75
R. C. Hazelton	300.79
New England Telephone	55.83
Carter Truck & Tractor Sales	290.11
Rice's Inc.	260.16
Roscoe Stevens, Jr.	21.84
Interstate Equipment	120.02
Nugent Motor Co.	50.48
Holmes Transport	9.75
Dionne's Welding	174.88
C. H. Goss Co.	607.17
Ross Express	17.31
Kelly Auto Supply	14.70
Moore's General Store	9.03
Walter's Garage	11.00
Oxford Chemicals	38.20
Ricky Ross	34.00
Mt. View Equipment	9.10
Georgia Pacific	8.10
Cray Oil Co.	626.83
MacKenzie's Auto Supply	4.85
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	\$ 3,448.42

Town Dump

Reginald Stevens, labor	\$ 11.25
Reginald Rodger, labor	10.00
Leslie Rodger, labor	10.00
Rodney Rexford, cleaning dump.	254.75
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	\$ 286.00

Street Lights

Public Service Company.	\$ 252.00
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Libraries

Nila Aldrich, treasurer trustees	\$ 340.00
Edith Switser, librarian	360.00
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	\$ 700.00

Surplus Food

Wm. S. Aldrich, mileage	\$ 5.60
William Abbott, refrigerator	20.00
Nila Aldrich, labor	90.00
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	\$ 115.60

Parks and Playgrounds

Astle Company, Christmas lights	\$ 19.40
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Memorial Day and Other Patriotic Purposes

Harold D. Shawney Post, flags donation	\$ 10.00
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Town Road Aid

Reginald Stevens, labor	\$ 800.75
Reginald Rodger, labor	552.00
Leslie Rodger, labor	528.00
Thomas McVetty, labor	57.60
Bradley Sargent, labor	57.60
Rodney Rexford, equipment	2,884.40
Donald Fearon, gravel	578.25
State of N. H., appropriations	688.55
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	\$ 6,147.15

Class V Highways

Reginald Stevens, labor	\$ 526.75
Reginald Rodger, labor	420.00
Leslie Rodger, labor	410.00
Thomas McVetty, labor	215.30
Bradley Sargent, labor	204.50
Wm. S. Aldrich, labor	46.00
Rodney Rexford, equipment	1,275.75

Wendell Rexford, backhoe	103.00
Lawrence Ramsdell, gravel	181.20
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	\$ 3,382.50

New Equipment

Carter Truck & Tractor Sales, new truck	\$ 8,485.75
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New Lands

William Abbott, land.	\$ 2,000.00
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Cemeteries

Reginald Stevens, labor	\$ 119.00
Reginald Rodger, labor	143.80
Leslie Rodger, labor	128.20
Virgil Pinette, labor	3.40
Thomas McVetty, labor	65.00
Bradley Sargent, labor	48.80
O. R. Falkenham, labor.	52.20
Adelard Pilotte, loam	72.00
Thomas Landry, loam	10.00
Gordon, Sargent, labor	9.00
Eric Rodger, labor	28.80
Stephen McMann, labor.	41.40
Wm. S. Aldrich, labor and lawnmower	596.20
Wendell Rexford, backhoe	25.00
George Osgood, backhoe	60.00
Crane Sporting Goods, lawnmower and repairs	173.80
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	\$ 1,576.60

Soldiers Aid

Miles Pond, Inc., firewood	\$ 5.00
Moore's General Store, groceries	61.59
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	\$ 66.59

Town Poor

Rudie Pappell	\$ 35.00
Paul Stevens, trailer for L. Rodger	250.00
Wendell Rexford, backhoe	106.50

Carl Yunghans, M. D., for P. Wright	65.00
Weeks Memorial Hospital, P. Wright	857.30
Ross Funeral Home, Nelson Fenoff	960.00
Paul Forbes, Rent for W. Switser	56.00
Moore's General Store, W. Switser	35.23
Cray Oil Co., W. Switser	14.15
Robert Hinkley, M. D., Gail Towle	40.00
Elwin Falkenham, M. D., Gail Towle	30.00

\$ 2,449.18

Old Age Assistance

State Treasurer	\$ 1,005.91
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Aid To Permanently & Totally Disabled

State Treasurer	\$ 87.17
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Water Works — Perley Wells Spring

George Osgood, backhoe and pipe	\$ 581.00
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Spring on Big Hill

George Osgood, backhoe	40.00
Whitefield Hardware, pipe	41.82
Colby Lumber Co., lumber for box	18.36

\$ 681.18

Advertising and Regional Associations

White Mts. Regional Association	\$ 141.57
Whitefield Airport	400.00
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	\$ 541.57

Taxes Bought By Town

Edith Burbank, Tax Collector	\$ 5,351.58
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Discounts, Abatements and Refunds

Wendell Rexford, rebate on taxes	\$ 44.00
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Employees' Retirement and Social Security

State of New Hampshire	\$ 668.14
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Interest

Whitefield Savings Bank, on Temporary Loans	\$ 611.11
Whitefield Savings Bank, on Long Term Notes	512.50
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	\$ 1,123.61

Indebtedness Payments

Whitefield Savings Bank, temporary loans	\$30,000.00
Whitefield Savings, grader note	2,000.00
Whitefield Savings Bank , truck note	2,000.00
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	\$34,000.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

State of New Hampshire, yield tax	\$ 132.37
State of New Hampshire, Head Tax	1,236.03
State of New Hampshire, boat reports	3.00
Gladys MacLean, notices & deed cards	2.10
Coos County, county tax	7,255.40
White Mts. Regional School District.	67,499.47
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	\$ 76,128.37
 Total Payments for all purposes	 \$185,354.41

Report of Library Trustees

Receipts

Balance on hand January 1, 1970	\$ 230.19
Received from State of N. H.	220.28
Received from Town of Dalton	700.00
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Total Receipts	\$ 1,150.47

Expenditures

Books and magazines	\$ 360.48
Supplies	114.62
Repairs and Maintenance	105.10
Librarian's Salary	360.00
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Total Expenditures	\$ 940.20
Balance on hand December 31, 1970	210.27
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	\$ 1,150.47

Above figures include \$100.00 received from State for purchase of reference books and approved non-fiction for the year 1971 as well as \$100.00 for 1970.

Circulation

	1969	1970
Adult Books	475	504
Juvenile Books	1,153	1,280
Magazines	82	385
Records	122	78
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Total Circulation	1,832	2,247

Bookmobile

There were four visits from the Bookmobile during the year bringing us a total of one thousand one hundred and sixty-one books to read.

LIBRARIAN
Edith Switser

TRUSTEES
Susan Bean
Nila Aldrich
May Thayer

Report of Police Department

To the Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report as your Chief of Police for the year ended December 31, 1970.

A total of 36 cases was brought before the Lancaster District Court for disposition. The bulk of these were for various motor vehicle violations. It should be noted here that the Town of Dalton does not receive any part of fines imposed by the court and naturally they do not share in the expense of bringing these cases to court. It costs an average of \$5.00 for each case presented and this is only a small part of the cost. It does not include the time involved in investigation and preparation of same. This past year we investigated a total of 17 accidents, 27 cases of breaking and entering and larcency along with 15 cases of malicious damage and/or vandalism. Several cases of petty larcency were taken care of without court action because of the cost involved. Of the 27 cases of B.E. & L., 14 are considered solved which is a substantial increase over past years. I personally have spent well over 100 hours and traveled more than 1100 miles on these particular cases. We have also spent many hours and traveled many miles in assisting the surrounding towns and they are willing to do the same for us. It is only through the cooperation of any and all departments, whether they be state, local or other that the rising crime rate can at least be slowed if not stopped.

At last years town meeting, a substantial increase was asked for and received in our budget with the understanding that we would receive some reimbursement through the Highway Safety Agency. With this in mind, I increased the number of hours and miles of patrolling and property checking in an effort to decrease the number of violations. It was not until late in the summer after several trips to Concord did we find out that there was no money available immediately to fund our program submitted for approval. The program was finally submitted to the regional office late in December and has not yet been approved for funding. During the year we also purchased a second radio for \$757.00 of which one half is to be reimbursed to the town. These units cost over \$1400.00 and had to be purchased by July 31st to insure this price. When this system is fully implemented we will be able to talk directly to cars operating out of Troop F as well as the other local departments and the Concord headquarters.

In the fall of 1969 I started travelling to Plymouth two nights a week, two hours of classroom work each night, to attend the newly instituted White Mountain Law Enforcement Institute. Graduation was held at Plymouth in early spring. This fall the same courses, with additions, are being held in Littleton and have been attended by myself and special officer Allan Bean. believe these courses have and will continue to be very helpful.

Total hours spent in 1970 increased by 450 to 1,390 and total mileage increased by 1,300 to 13,545. I believe that these hours paid dividends but still need the cooperation of more of the people. GET INVOLVED. If you see something that you know or believe is not according to Hoyle, call the Lancaster Highway Dept. (788-4641) or the State Police at Twin Mountain (846-5500) who have dispatchers on duty 24 hours a day 365 days a year. They will in turn get in touch with us or dispatch a cruiser in the area as soon as possible.

I want to thank the Board of Selectmen, other surrounding departments, both state and local, for their support during the past year and will continue to do the job the best way I know how.

BRADLEY WHITCOMB
Chief of Police

Fire Department

April 15	Abbott's Store, Dalton, N. H. - Total Loss
May 1	Woods House, Lunenburg, Vt. - Partial Loss
May 15	House, Gilman, Vt., - Total Loss
Oct. 13	House, W. Lunenburg, Vt. - total Loss
Sept. 10	Dalton Rodge, Buck Fire - Small Damage
Dec. 10	Abbott's House - Small damage
	Several Small Fires at the Dump.

Dalton Planning Board

The Dalton Planning Board has met several times during the past year. We have been closely associated with the Coos Six Planning Commission as they worked on the master plan for the six towns involved. Our town was well represented by planning board members at each meeting.

At our last meeting, the sub-division regulations on which we will vote at town meeting were discussed and revised to fit our town.

Following one more meeting of the Dalton Planning Board with the planning associates with which we are working, public meetings will be held and our own master plan will be presented to the town.

As we follow the development of the subdivisions in the areas south of us, it becomes more apparent what can happen here in Dalton if some minimum standards are not set up.

The expense to the town of building new roads, sewer systems, etc., if housing developments are allowed to build unchecked, could be appalling.

The time to set up these minimum standards is now, before undesirable elements do come in and we have no legal way to supervise or halt their developments.

Dalton is located in one of the few remaining undeveloped areas. As superhighways are built and it becomes easier to reach this area, we are going to grow. Now is the time to consider how we want to grow and what kind of a town we want to live in.

Elmer Elliott, Chairman
Gwendolyn Howe, Secretary
Ralph Blakslee
Zenaide Bradley
Agnes Mooney
George Ramsdell
David Moore

Conservation Commission

As of March 11, 1970, the Dalton Conservation Commission formed articles of agreement for voluntary corporations under the provisions of the laws of the State of New Hampshire 292 RS4 Volume 565, Page 245.

It is hoped the Picnic Area will be completed this spring with the help of the town men and equipment.

The signs for the area are ready and waiting to be erected. Lumber was purchased and fine picnic tables were made by the Commission members.

It is hoped water can be located in the area at the top of Bridge Hill. Approximately 30 homes and 2 businesses would be served.

A fire hydrant was purchased by the commission for this purpose. Test holes have been dug and land owners are being contacted on this matter.

A questionnaire will be sent in the near future to the citizens of Dalton requesting your ideas, suggestions and help on some of the key natural features of our environment.

It is with pleasure the Commission announces the election of Mrs. Zenaide Bradley as a director for the two year term to New Hampshire Association of Conservation Commissions.

Mrs. Edith Burbank, Sec. - Treas.
Mrs. Zenaide Bradley
Mr. Leo St. Cyr
Mr. Willard Streeter
Mr. Edward Driscoll
Mr. Scott Aldrich
Mr. Frank Ashmore
Mr. Leonard Carbonneau

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF DALTON, N. H. ON DECEMBER 31, 1970

Date of Creation	Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	Principal Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
2/ 5/11	Isabelle Steele	Cemetery Fund	\$ 50.00	\$	\$ 68.30	\$ 3.11	\$ 3.11	\$ 68.30
7/14/25	William S. Crouch	Cemetery Fund	50.00		89.75	4.10	4.10	89.75
5/24/26	Will Heath	Cemetery Fund	50.00		68.62	3.13	3.13	68.62
5/10/34	Carrie Tillotson	Cemetery Fund	200.00		207.24	9.43	9.43	207.24
6/ 1/36	Ida White Hayes & John White	Cemetery Fund	100.00		142.72	6.51	6.51	142.72
11/28/36	Jennie & Frank Whitcomb	Cemetery Fund	100.00		109.64	5.00	5.00	109.64
7/ 1/42	Charles H. Emerson	Cemetery Fund	200.00		225.28	10.24	10.24	225.28
2/ 9/43	W. A. Tillotson & Aldrich	Cemetery Fund	100.00		104.46	4.75	4.75	104.46
9/ 1/43	Simeon, Kenny & Ewen	Cemetery Fund	100.00		112.92	5.13	5.13	112.92
11/26/46	Kate Cushman & Tillotson	Cemetery Fund	2,500.00		2,606.04	118.60	118.60	2,606.04
12/16/53	Robert & Eliza Eager	Cemetery Fund	100.00		102.48	4.66	4.66	102.48
4/ 6/54	Edward & Bertha Stannard	Cemetery Fund	100.00		103.89	4.73	4.73	103.89
8/28/54	Marion Fountain	Cemetery Fund	100.00		104.04	4.73	4.73	104.04
12/14/56	Henry Whitcomb	Cemetery Fund	100.00		102.95	4.68	4.68	102.95
6/ 3/57	John Jock	Cemetery Fund	140.15		145.79	6.64	6.64	145.79
6/ 7/57	William E. Carpenter	Cemetery Fund	100.00		105.54	4.82	4.82	105.54
1/15/58	Charles A. Simonds	Cemetery Fund	100.00		102.21	4.66	4.66	102.21
3/ 7/60	George Harriman	Cemetery Fund	200.00		212.14	9.65	9.65	212.14
9/24/60	Harold B. Wallace	Cemetery Fund	150.00		154.88	7.05	7.05	154.88
11/21/60	Ewens & Nelsons	Cemetery Fund	150.00		157.10	7.15	7.15	157.10
3/28/61	Walter H. Colby	Cemetery Fund	300.00		303.38	13.80	13.80	303.38
12/ 1/61	Addie S. Harriman	Cemetery Fund	150.00		152.07	6.91	6.91	152.07
7/20/62	William Eager	Cemetery Fund	150.00		156.21	7.11	7.11	156.21
12/27/62	James Adair	Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.75	4.59	4.59	100.75

11/ 9/64	Eva Cormier	\$ 200.00	\$	\$ 226.14	\$ 10.29	\$	\$ 236.43
8/11/65	Bertrand Ruggles	300.00		339.06	15.44	15.44	339.06
5/ 9/67	Carlyle McCulloch	150.00		150.56	6.84	6.84	150.56
7/ 7/67	Ruggles, Heath, Elliott	200.00		205.53	9.37	9.37	205.53
12/13/67	Allan & Eda Mailman	100.00		100.04	4.55	4.55	100.04
12/15/67	Thomas Lemere	200.00		200.08	9.11	9.11	200.08
9/10/68	Charles Bolles	100.00		101.00	4.59	4.59	101.00
1/23/69	W. H. Cushman	200.00		200.00	9.14	9.14	200.00
1/23/69	Edward P. Cushman	100.00		100.00	4.55	4.55	100.00
1/23/69	Edmond Hurlburt	100.00		100.00	4.55	4.55	100.00
2/ 3/69	W. B. & E. L. Aldrich	300.00		311.10	14.16	14.16	325.26
3/25/69	Thomas F. Smith	200.00		206.04	9.39	9.39	215.43
6/ 4/69	Harry Isham	100.00		100.00	4.55	4.55	100.00
7/23/69	Chester A. Crocker	300.00		300.00	13.66	13.66	300.00
5/29/70	Shepard Vogelgasang		200.00		5.25	5.25	200.00
6/30/70	Hurlbutt & Emerson		150.00		3.38	3.38	150.00
		\$7,940.15	\$ 350.00	\$8,377.95	\$ 390.00	\$ 356.16	\$8,761.79

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DALTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1970

Date	Name of Groom	Residence	Name of Bride	Residence
January 17	Gary D. Mitton	Littleton, N. H.	Carole R. Whittum	Dalton, N. H.
February 28	Clyde W. Rivers	North Concord, Vt.	Rennie E. Ely	North Concord, Vt.
July 22	Milton D. Simonds	Dalton, N. H.	Norma A. Emerson	Belmont, N. H.
July 25	Robert J. Kimball	Dalton, N. H.	Janet D. Miller	Whitefield, N. H.
August 15	Roland F. Dubey	Littleton, N. H.	Rachel L. Reynolds	Dalton, N. H.
August 15	Herbert A. Hennessey	Whitefield, N. H.	Joanne L. Grimard	Dalton, N. H.
August 29	William E. Allen Jr.	Dalton, N. H.	Nancy E. Bailey	Dalton, N. H.
September 5	Hollis M. Walter	Dalton, N. H.	Donna R. Silver	Gilman, Vt.
September 26	Richard A. Bailey	Dalton, N. H.	Madelynn D. Fenton	Stoughton, Mass.
October 23	George E. Marsh	Lisbon, N. H.	Suzanne C. Nile	Dalton, N. H.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DALTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1970

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Place of Birth
May 5	Jay Parker	Glenn T. Wright	Patricia A. Wilson	Lancaster, N. H.
June 10	Sherylin Rae	David C. Howe	Shirley W. Sargent	Littleton, N. H.
October 8	Deborah Anne	David A. Moore	Jean E. Beals	Littleton, N. H.
November 8	George James III	George J. Paquette	Lorraine Rattee	Littleton, N. H.
November 9	Beth Ann	Emmett E. Towle	Gail E. Allen	Lancaster, N. H.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DALTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1970

Date	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Death
January 24	Bessie Stevens	77	Lancaster, N. H.
January 29	Paul R. Brooks	53	Whitefield, N. H.
February 17	Wenona Libby	68	Concord, N. H.
August 12	John J. Falkenham	62	White River Junction

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